IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE R.BASANT

MONDAY, THE 10TH SEPTEMBER 2007 / 19TH BHADRA 1929

Bail Appl..No. 5401 of 2007()

CMP.7484/2007 of J.M.F.C.-I,NEDUMANGAD
CR.NO.93/2007 OF ARYANAD EXCISE RANGE

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PETITIONER/ACCUSED

MOHANAN, S/O. YOHANNAN NADAR
KIZHAKKUMKARA THUTTARIKATHU VEEDU
AITHY, ARYANAD VILLAGE,
NEDUMANGAD TALUK

BY ADV. SRI.T.A.UNNIKRISHNAN
SRI.K.SATHEESH KUMAR
SRI.P.P.BIJU

RESPONDENT: COMPLAINANT

STATE OF KERALA REP: BY
PUBLIC PROSECUTOR
HIGH COURT OF KERALA, ERNAKULAM

BY PUBLIC PROSECUTOR SRI.JAI GEORGE

THIS BAIL APPLICATION HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 10/09/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY PASSED THE FOLLOWING:

R.BASANT, J.

B.A.No.5401 of 2007

Dated this the 10th day of September 2007

O R D E R

Application for regular bail. The petitioner faces allegations under the Kerala Abkari Act. The petitioner was allegedly found to be in possession of 5 litres of arrack on 21/8/2007. He was arrested and continues in custody from that date. He has no history of any criminal antecedents, submits the learned Public Prosecutor.

2. The learned counsel for the petitioner prays, the learned Public Prosecutor does not oppose the said prayer and I am satisfied that regular bail can be granted to the petitioner subject to appropriate conditions.

3. In the result, this petition is allowed. The petitioner can now be enlarged on bail on the following terms and conditions:

i) He shall execute a bond for Rs.25,000/- (Rupees twenty five thousand only) with two solvent sureties each for the like sum to the satisfaction of the learned Magistrate.

ii) The petitioner shall make himself available for interrogation before the investigating officer as and when directed by the investigating officer in writing to do so.

(R.BASANT, JUDGE)

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ORDER

21ST DAY OF MAY2007